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COMMENT and RUMOR

There has been a lot of comment, some favorable and some unfavorable, the past week in regard to the city dumping large boulders along the beach to stop erosion. It seems very difficult to suit everyone.

Property owners who find the boulders a real protection to their property are pleased while others state this is no way to build a bathing beach. One party, who formerly lived near the New Jersey sea coast, says the rocks and boulders are too much of an eyesore along a fine beach.

Previously city authorities have said they were not authorized to protect private property but could only put in high cliffs and roaring surf made their rescue difficult.

Summing up the pros and cons it would seem to us there is a difference of opinion at the civic center. Most of the councilmen would like to have a permanent sea wall or jetties built at Mission bay channel, while the city manager is not of this thought, it is said, and is authorizing the present project to protect the beach and nearby homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marc Strauss were at Los Angeles two days last week to buy merchandise for their men's store here. Marc reports the market still short on merchandise but says they managed to buy a fair supply of seasonable goods.

We note a hundred cases of soup arrived at the Market Basket and Morris Market this week. We commented that this would be 4,800 cans each store and Milt Lancaster remarked in answer that it also took four points per can and we could figure that out to see how many points he had to tie up. Looks like 19,200 points for each shipment and anything may happen before these are all sold.

Live local professional men are planning on establishing a hospital in this section and we trust that it materializes for there is urgent need for such an institution here.

Another business which the area could well support is a mortician and funeral home. San Diego mortuaries have almost more than they can care for properly and there is sufficient population in the Pt. Loma and beach district to make the business pay.

A notice from the City Treasurer's office yesterday says water bills are not forthcoming this month but will be sent bi-monthly hereafter. This is better for the consumer and will save the city half their office work in mailing statements.

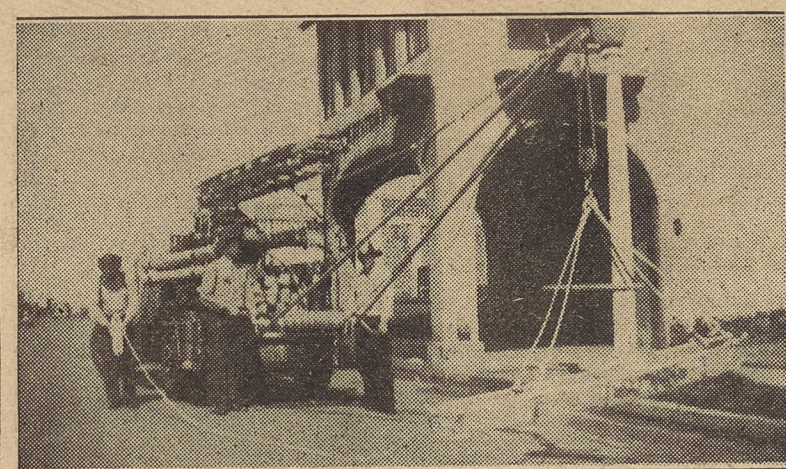
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MICKIE SAYS—

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WHAT MAKES GOOD
BUSINESS—KEEPI'N' AT
IT BRINGS SUCCESS



Boy and Girl Trapped by Tide Rescued by Ocean Beach Firemen's Rescue Equipment



The above pictured mechanical crane and rescue basket are auxiliary equipment contrived some years ago by members of the Ocean Beach fire department. It has proved of inestimable value on numerous occasions when people have been injured or trapped by tides along the beach where in high cliffs and roaring surf made their rescue difficult.

Last week Murphy Stark, 16, of 3321 El Cajon Blvd., and Eugene Conway, 15, of 4431 Brindisi st. were rescued at the foot of Sunset Cliffs, when they were trapped by an incoming tide.

Charles Hardy, life guard captain reported the two were walking along the bottom of Sunset Cliffs and did not notice the gradual onrush of the tide until it was too late. Their escape was cut off from both sides.

They retired into a cave-like hollow as the water grew higher and reached their feet.

Their cries were heard by passersby above, who could not see the youth because of the protruding ledge. Ocean Beach lifeguards were the first to respond, but were unable to affect a rescue because of the cliff formation in the area, at the foot of Hill st.

Police and additional lifeguards from Mission Beach appeared. The fire department also was called, and solved the dilemma with equipment especially constructed for such emergencies.

The Ocean Beach fire engine has a boom attachment which extends out the rear and provides for the lowering of a rescue basket over a cliff.

Fred Crowther, lifeguard lieutenant, and Earl Russell, guard, went down in the basket and helped the youths up. They were uninjured.

\$39,375,000 Goal Your Chamber In 4th War Loan Here Of Commerce

Determined to maintain San Diego's consistent record for achieving war bond goals, the War Finance committee swung into action this week behind the Fourth War Loan campaign, which begins Jan. 18.

Total quota for the San Diego county area, as fixed by the Treasury Department, is \$39,375,000. This is the largest goal yet assigned the area, exceeding by \$2,375,000 the figure set for the Third War Loan last Sept.

For the nation, the goal will be \$14,000,000,000. Philip L. Gildred, War Finance committee chairman, announced that of the area's quota, \$19,375,000 will be in Series E, F and G bonds, which are popularly known as the "people's bonds." The remaining \$20,000,000 represents the sum which corporations and other large investors are expected to subscribe.

With 1944 designated as "Victory Year," the greatest popular response yet recorded is anticipated, according to Gildred. "The prospect of victory in Europe this year unquestionably will be an inspiration for all-out war bond buying," he said. "The impending invasion of the Nazi-held continent will mean the material we have ever undertaken with a corresponding heavier cost to back the attack."

"Everyone in the San Diego area will want to have a part in helping to achieve the victory, and start our boys on the trail back home during 1944."

—LLOYD D. GREESON, President.

Bank of America Has Record Year

Substantial increases in total resources, deposits and investments, as well as enhanced capital funds and an increase in surplus account, featured a record year of growth for Bank of America. This is reflected in the bank's statement of condition at the close of business Dec. 31, 1942.

On Dec. 15, surplus account was increased from \$62,000,000 to \$75,000,000 by the transfer of \$13,000,000 from undivided profits account. As a result the bank's lending capacity is augmented in line with its increased volume of war production loans.

Total resources, the statement shows, were \$3,697,913,000, an increase of \$926,223,000 over a year ago.

Deposits totaled \$3,498,153,000, a gain of \$912,013,000 during the year. While loans and discounts outstanding at the year end, which aggregated \$810,661,000, decreased \$29,809,000, investments in securities, amounting to \$2,095,433,000, increased \$829,684,000 over the previous year end.

Large purchases of U. S. Government securities accounted for approximately 97 per cent of this increase and brought the bank's total investment in these securities to \$1,844,554,000.

Earnings for the year after operating expenses and accruals for taxes were \$30,167,000. From this total, \$5,801,000 was reserved for depreciation of bank premises and amortization of bond premiums, and \$3,861,000 was set up in reserves and applied to the absorption of losses and the revaluation of assets.

After payment of \$10,412,000 in dividends at the annual rate of \$2.45 per share on the common stock and \$2 per share on the preferred stock, and after a profit sharing bonus of \$1,328,000 to employees, capital funds were increased from earnings for the year by \$8,765,000.

At the end of the year capital funds, including reserves, totaled \$1,663,385,000 after utilization of \$2,782,500 to retire 5,616,000 shares of preferred stock during the year, reflecting an increase of \$5,983,000 in capital funds over the previous year end.

During the year \$1,845,000 was added to the reserve for war contingencies; etc., which at the year end totaled \$13,919,000. President L. M. Giannini commented that while the Bank of America was serving in the present emergency with every available facility, the management was engaged in concrete forward planning for the postwar period. "We are determined," he said, "to provide every possible banking aid for stabilizing California's industrial, agricultural and commercial activities so that a high rate of employment may be maintained."

High School Leaders Seek Student Body Places

Students at Pt. Loma high school were introduced in the assemblies on Thursday, Jan. 6, to the candidates running for the various associated student body offices for next semester. Those who appeared were Jim Webber, general affairs; Janet Lush and Mary Trushinski, auditorium activities; Betty Stevenson, girls' activities; Bill Hamlin and Jack Whittinghill, boys' activities; Tom Royal and Gwen Harvey, publications; Bill Rick, Jim Moore, and Wesley Kessel, finance; Jean Martin and Paula De Haven, girls' athletics; Sandy Wallace and George Bradbury, interscholastic athletics.

Present associated student body commissioners who presented these candidates include Bill Rick, general affairs; Sam Ritter, finance; Jolene Baldrige, auditorium activities; Kenny O'Neal, boys' activities; Betty Dixon, girls' activities; Darlene Thrig, girls' athletics; Bill Gause, interscholastic athletics and Nevins Young, publications. Final results of the democratic all-student government voting will be announced next week.

The members of the junior patrol now serving are: Lt. Bobby Stagers; Top Sergeant Calvin Burns; Sergeants Donald Hunter, Howard Mayfield, George Penniman, Gordon McClure, Billy Starbuck; Corporals Buddy Lewis, Clyde Simmons, Thad Woodland, Willard Krigbaum, Bill Maggiora, Teddy Wagner, Norman Niemet; Privates Robert Woodall, Billy Spencer, Bobby Hoyt, Larry Bailey, Dick Ederer, Donald Vose, Robert Maben, Raymond Schroeder, Tom Burns, Walter Hegerle, Leland Plaisted, Wesley Hesson; substitutes, Herhel Arney, Billy Mallory and Larry Dickey.

Chamber Commerce To Install Monday

Ocean Beach Chamber of Commerce will install their 1944 officers at their regular monthly meeting next Monday evening at 8 p.m. Those elected were: Lloyd D. Greeson, president. Joseph R. Lownes, vice president.

Dr. W. B. Oster, Daniel Moss, Miss Jeannette Croft, Noel Swetland, Earl Shaw, Veda Moss, Samuel E. Cole and Mrs. J. R. Lownes, directors.

Plans for activities to be following during the new year will be fully discussed and a program of progress for needed improvements will be before the group.

Skipper of "Yippee" Visits Point Loma Home After 22 Months Absence

Busily reacquainting himself with his wife and baby son today was Lieutenant Anthony Mascarenhas, USNR, of Point Loma, former San Diego tunaboat skipper who has just returned home after 22 months sea duty in Pacific and Atlantic theatres.

When Lieutenant Mascarenhas answered the Navy's urgent call for experienced tuna boat men in Feb., 1942, his son, Leonard, had just turned four months. Just seeing his boy, now two and a half, and his wife was the finest Christmas present he ever received, the naval officer said.

A great part of his sea duty, Lieutenant Mascarenhas asserted, was spent as commanding officer of the tuna boat he skippered along the West coast during peacetime. His ship, termed the "Yippee" by the Navy, was engaged in patrol, convoy and supply work in both the Atlantic and Pacific.

Soon to depart for another assignment, the officer had high praise for the gritty little YP's. "Anytime anybody wanted something special delivered along our route," he smiled, "they could send it by YP. They could all ways count on it being delivered."

Lieutenant Mascarenhas lives at 3127 Keats st.

Mrs. Ann F. Mueller Dies Suddenly Wednesday

Mrs. Ann F. Mueller, wife of Robert L. Mueller of National City, lieutenant governor of Kiwanis International for the San Diego-Imperial valley division, died from a heart attack Wednesday this week.

Mr. Mueller was at Kiwanis noon luncheon in National City when the call came for him to report at home for his wife had been suddenly stricken. Sympathy of the local Kiwanis group is extended to Mr. Mueller in this sudden bereavement. He and the deceased were at the Kiwanis installation held in the Point Loma Methodist church Dec. 28.

Wisconsin Folks Buy Sunset Cliffs Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bertel H. Nielsen, formerly of Green Bay, Wisconsin, in Dec. purchased a home at 4581 Granger street, Sunset Cliffs, and are happy to be located in sunny Southern California.

Mr. Nielsen is at present a shipyard worker and they have two sons in the service, both in aviation.

Pennimans Sell Bermuda Ave. Home

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Penniman have sold their home at 4754 Bermuda ave. and this week moved to 4972 Voltaire st.

Mrs. Penniman says she is going to miss the lovely residential district of her former home with its fine view of the ocean but perhaps the nearness of the business area and convenience of the bus line half block away will compensate in some respects for the change.

Ideas go booming through the world louder than cannon. Thoughts are mightier than armies. Principles have achieved more victories than horsemen or chariots.—W. M. Paxton.

Ocean Beach Kiwanis Club Americanization Program Underway

Hawaiian Scenery Pictured at Kiwanis

Comdr. I. W. Parks, who with his family spent almost two years in Hawaii recently, showed colored moving pictures he had taken to the Ocean Beach Kiwanis club Tuesday evening. Dr. John W. Wilhoit was program chairman.

Views of Pearl Harbor naturally were censored but the result of one destructive bomb hit was shown, it being near the hotel in which the Parks family lived. Much beautiful mountain and floral scenery was pictured with gorgeous showings of orchids and flowering trees and shrubs. Members stayed to an extended showing of the pictures, they being thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Robert W. Blue of the 11th Naval district was a guest of Burritt S. Mills and Ashton Helmsel of Escondido was a guest of Glen Jones.

Tuesday's meeting was the first to be presided over by the 1944 president, Glen Jones.

Stricter Rationing of Gas in Auto Sales

Effective Jan. 1st the new regulation on gasoline rationing goes into effect. Some two thousand people each month in San Diego are involved in automobile sales and exchanges so it is a matter of considerable importance, according to Walter A. Whelan, San Diego District Rationing Executive. Under the new regulation the seller of an automobile must take all of his remaining coupons to his War Price and Rationing board and get from the board a receipt in duplicate.

The buyer of the car must then get both copies of this receipt since he must turn in one copy to his ration board to get his gasoline ration and the other copy is a necessary part of the change of registration for the car and for that reason must be sent to the motor vehicle department.

The War Price and Rationing board, which handles all the business from the various plant transportation committees has some 600 changes of ownership a month so that the figure for San Diego as a whole is not only over 2000 but nearer 2500. Nationally there are approximately 200,000 changes of ownership each month and it is expected that the new procedure will stop a leak of some proportions.

Many New Pupils in Ocean Beach School

On the first school day of the new year the following children enrolled at the Ocean Beach elementary school: Donna Turner from Mission Beach; Jack Hallstrom, Jim Hallstrom, and Greta Hallstrom from San Lorenza, California; George Dethier from Baltimore, Maryland; Nelda Moody from Pensacola, Florida; Betty Scott from Glendale, Montana; Martin Blom from Portland, Oregon; Eleanor Reynolds from Neptune, New Jersey; and Jacklyn Rice from Alhambra, California.

The new members of the safety council for the current five-week period are: Audrey Hoy, Ray Frager, Judy Stangl, Jimmy Cuff, Gaylord Purcell, Jimmy White, Perry Wyman, Glenn Dupree, Charles Smith, John Ward, Claudia Fleener, Joanne Twitchell, Lois Gunderson, Peggy Schlein, Donna Seibert, Bert Williams, Fred Murray, George Sieckman, Darlene Contreras and Nancy King. Peggy Schlein is the safety chairman of this group.

An intensive program of education and development in the slogan, "Keep His America AMERICAN," is being launched by the Ocean Beach Kiwanis club this week in connection with an internationally sponsored move by headquarters of the same civic group.

The men and women in service expect their parents, friends and neighbors at home to keep the problems and activities of government in hand, that when they return home they will find a stabilized plan for improving the world. They leave the free America in our trust. To those they leave at home they leave the liberties and privileges they love. They want to come back to a united family, a good home, a job and personal freedom signaling future opportunity.

These things the service men and women left in our care. Let us honor this trust while they are away.

The creed for this patriotic drive is carried in a full 4-column adv. on page 3, and also given herewith, for the guidance of the people of the beach area.



These Things We Hold

THAT it is every free American's right to worship God in the manner he chooses and according to his own conscience and understanding.

THAT Free Speech and Freedom of the Press are foundations of the democratic way of life, and should be defended against the onslaughts of those who might wish to abridge or destroy them.

THAT freedom of opportunity must be nurtured and preserved so that America's sons and daughters may continue to enjoy the right to achieve their ambitions, according to their wishes and capacities; that an individual's destiny is his own to shape and establish.

THAT America's children may continue to enjoy the parental love and wholesome happiness of the family, supplemented by freedom of education which admits the whole and undistorted truth about the world in which they live.

THAT America shall ever be the land of hope, the model of democracy... "The Land of the Free and the Home of the Brave."

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Store glass jars of foods in dark places to preserve the color.

Bananas should be ripened at room temperature, not in the refrigerator.

Tests show that cookies baked on glistening new tins required an oven 25 degrees hotter than those baked on darkened tins.

To keep irons from sticking when ironing starched pieces, keep a piece of green cedar on the board to rub the iron over before ironing.

Coffee pots need scrubbing, airing and sterilizing frequently. If you have difficulty in making clear, well-flavored coffee, the pot may be at fault.

You can use oily nut meats to camouflage scratches on furniture with a natural colored wood finish. Cut the nut meat open and rub its oily surface along the scratches until they are well saturated; then rub the surface with a dry, soft cloth.

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SOME PHASES OF INFLATION

IN THESE DAYS of scarce home front commodities it is how much excess money we have with which to buy, not how or for what we received it, that creates the inflation danger.

We have made the war as expensive as has been possible. We encouraged high prices by what is virtually a cost plus system that meant an additional profit on every additional dollar paid for ships, tanks, planes, guns or any other necessity of war. Such a method encouraged the employment of excess labor and created a manpower shortage. To be sure the excess profits earned by manufacturers were taken away as taxes with which to pay the excess costs. We have been but chasing a phantom around an ever-decreasing circle. When we reach the center, if we do, it means uncontrolled inflation.

Early in the war the President pronounced the Little Steel formula. He did not freeze wages but provided a maximum beyond which they were not to go. Every conceivable subterfuge has been resorted to in evading the terms of that edict and permitting the workers to secure increased sums in their pay envelopes. The work week has been lengthened and time and a half paid for anything over 40 hours. It meant excess earnings with which to bid for home front commodities that did not exist in sufficient quantities to meet all demands. It also meant added cost for war equipment which we must pay, or promise to pay. It constituted the major danger of inflation.

The Little Steel formula has been and is still being, strained at every point to meet the workers' contentions for more pay. With every increase comes more demand for home front commodities, which cannot be produced, and added war cost.

War time should be a time of sacrifice for those on the home front as it is for those on the battle fronts. It should not be made a time for the solution of so-called social problems and of increased profits and increased wages. As a nation we do not profit from an increased tax revenue resulting from an increased national income when that increased income merely represents an increased cost of those things we must buy. All we have accomplished is a heavy addition to the national indebtedness and an increased danger of utter financial demoralization through uncontrolled inflation. To have frozen both prices and labor right after Pearl Harbor should have prevented the inflation danger we now are facing but it would not have been a popular move.

WHAT WILL U. S. DO WITH WAR PLANTS?

OUR GENIAL OLD UNCLE SAM, whose only occupation for more than 150 years has been that of looking after and mildly regulating his ever-increasing number of nieces and nephews, has finally grown ambitious and gone into business in a big way. Today he owns one-fifth of all the manufacturing facilities of the nation; is operating directly or indirectly 1,500 of the country's largest plants, with a total investment in these business enterprises of more than 20 billion dollars.

Uncle Sam went into business as an emergency war measure to produce the needed equipment with which to defeat the Axis powers. What the nieces and nephews are now wondering about is what Uncle Sam is going to do with those 1,500 plants when the war is over. At Washington there is a group of theoretical economists who are surreptitiously planning to have him operate them as peace-time industries in competition with the privately owned plants of the nation. With no federal, state or local taxes to pay, with the taxpayers to make good on any loss that might be encountered, these theorists see an opportunity of making these plants the opening wedge to the establishment of that state socialist system they are promoting.

Private enterprise that must pay the heavy taxes needed to pay off the war debt, that must make both ends meet if they are to continue to operate, could not meet that kind of competition. It would be but a short time before our Uncle Sam would be conducting the business of the nation. The day of business opportunity for us nieces and nephews would be over, we would have state socialism. If that is to be avoided it is time for congress to plan for the disposition of those 1,500 plants.

REMINISCING on the part of us oldsters may be monotonous to the youth of today but it does act as a governor that helps to keep the machinery of living from running at too fast a pace. In the same way the youth of today will have, in time, their influence on the conditions of the future.

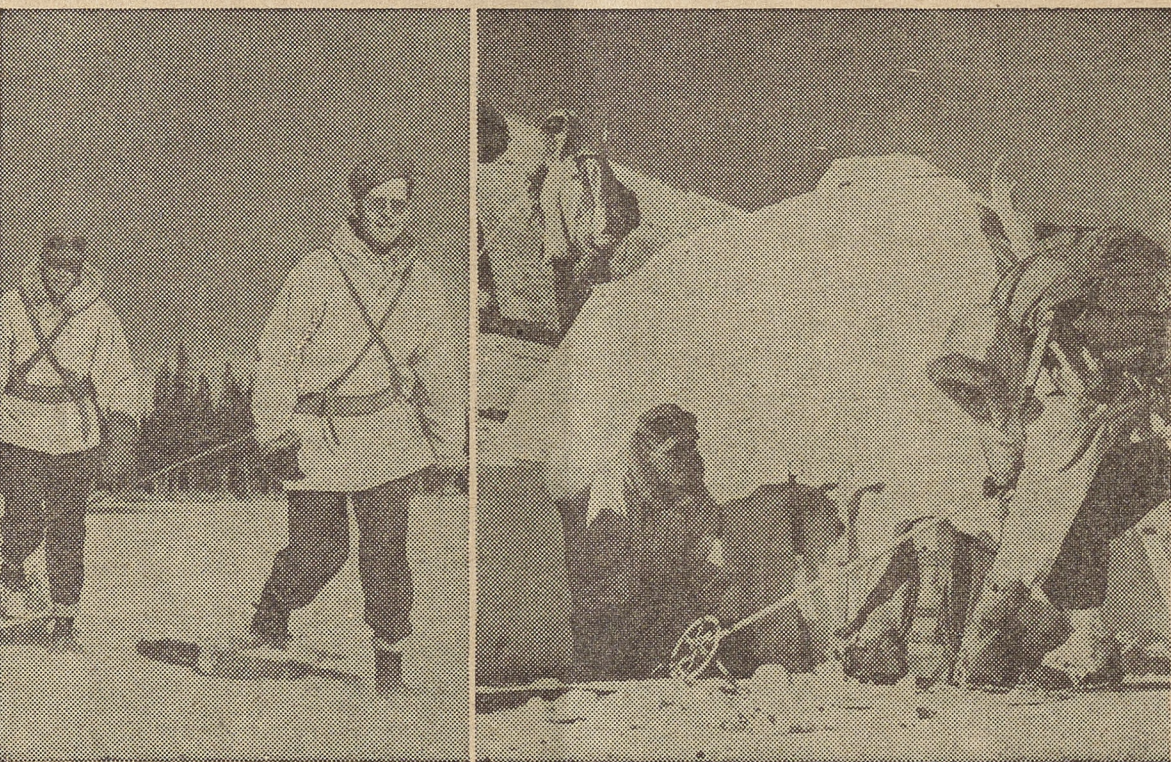
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Italians Fight Their Former Nazi Partners



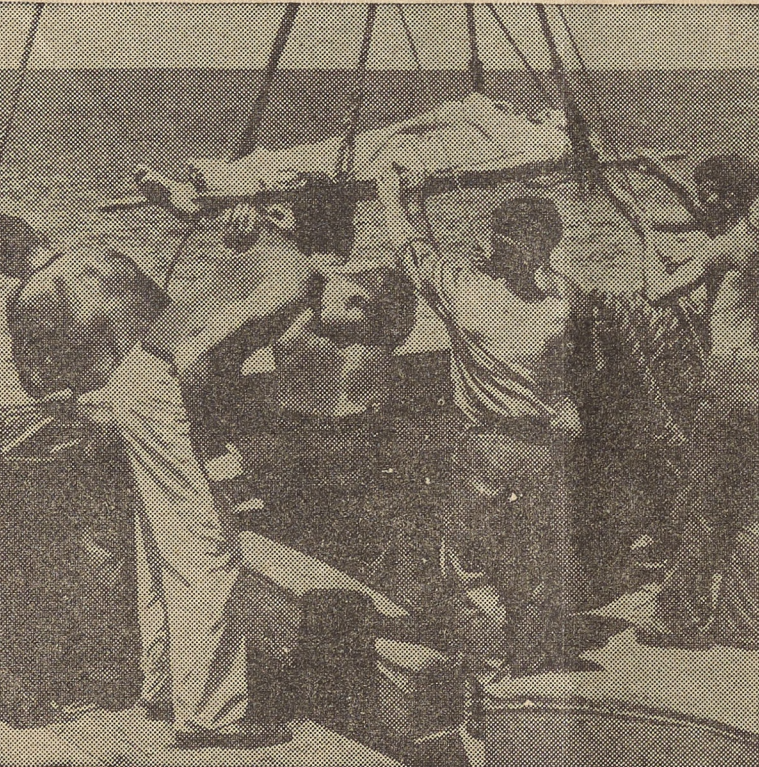
Left: Pictorial proof of the fulfillment of Premier Badoglio's promise that Italian forces would fight on the Allied side is this photograph of Italian soldiers carrying ammunition to our forces near Mount Lungo. Center: American soldiers in Italy lay wire through a muddy terrain. Pictured are Pvt. John A. Ray of Tomaston, Ga., and Staff Sgt. Bernard J. Dineer, Jersey City, N. J. Right: These Italians bring a thorough knowledge of their country's topography to the side of the Allies. They are shown aiming at the invader from positions on rocky Mount Lungo.

Air Force Men Get Arctic Training in Colorado



An arctic training command has been established by the U. S. army air forces at Echo Lake high in the Colorado Rocky mountains. Left: One of the first things trainees are taught is the use of snowshoes. Two men are shown pulling a sled which did not get into the picture. Right: Air force trainees are taught to build igloos. The wind is too high on the steep mountain slopes for a tent. Commanding officer of Camp Echo Lake is Capt. C. A. K. Innes-Taylor. He is a veteran of two Byrd expeditions.

Back From Tarawa on a Stretcher



U. S. coast guardsmen bring a wounded marine aboard their transport posted near the bloody beach of Tarawa. He was one of the 2,700 casualties suffered by the marine corps in the bitterest battle of its career. Withering fire from heavily fortified Japanese concrete pillboxes caused most of the marine casualties.

Christmas Gifts Keep Hospital Busy



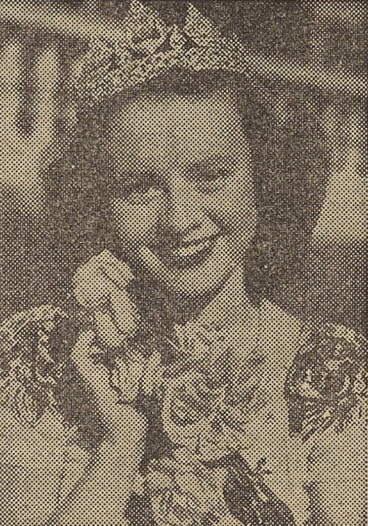
Sister Miriam Anne proudly displays four sets of twins born at St. Claire's hospital, New York, within five days. Their mothers are: Mrs. Helen C. Power, Mrs. Elizabeth Somers, Mrs. Catherine Meehan, and Mrs. Frances Malteace. All the babies arrived in time to spend their first Christmas with their families.

Strike Conferees



J. J. Aronson of the New York Central railroad (left) and J. J. Peley, president of the Association of American Railways, as they arrived at a White House conference on the threatened railroad strike. Operating brotherhoods had asked a \$3 per day increase.

Rose Named Riordan



Naomi Riordan, 17-year-old coed of Pasadena Junior college, California, who was chosen queen of the 1944 Tournament of Roses. Queen Naomi was born in Michigan.

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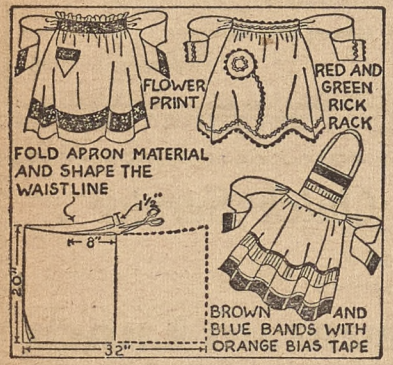
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Red Army Drives Toward Baltic Sea; Partisan Forces Ban Yugoslav Ruler; Allied Heavy Bombers Smash German Gun Installations in Northern France

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)
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PACIFIC JITTERBUG:—Doughboys on captured Makin island in the Central Pacific watch somber little native hula dance.

EUROPE:

Blast Rocket Guns

While U. S. and British troops battled the Nazis at close quarters in southern Italy, waves of Allied bombers rumbled over northern France to smash at German rocket gun installations.

Both on the U. S. Fifth and British Eighth army fronts in southern Italy, doughboys and Tommies engaged the Germans in hand-to-hand fighting. Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark's men fighting for mountain peaks flanking the road to Rome, and Gen. Bernard Montgomery's warriors striving to clear the path to the highway hub of Pescara.

As reports continued to seep into Britain and the U. S. of the Germans' new rocket gun capable of hurling an explosive charge of from 7 to 21 tons about 20 miles, Allied bombers combed the French channel coast around Calais to blast at the installations for the new weapon.

Ban King

Charging that the war minister of the Yugoslav government-in-exile had made a "lasting" deal with the Germans and organized civil strife against patriotic elements, Josip (Tito) Broz's communist backed Partisan forces forbade King Peter's return to the country until after the war.

Broz's action followed the attachment of U. S. British and Russian King Peter officers to his staff, as a result of the Allies' preference for the Partisan forces over King Peter's Chetniks because they have been offering the Germans more resistance.

Further, Broz's political council canceled all treaties and international obligations of King Peter's government, on the supposition it no longer was representative of the people.

VETS:

Discharge Pay

To every vet discharged after 18 months of service overseas would go \$500 under provisions of a bill passed by the senate and sent to the house for consideration.

Vets serving abroad for 12 to 18 months would be paid \$400 and those less than 12 months, \$300. Vets with 12 months or more service in the U. S. would get \$300, and those with less than 12 months, \$200.

In the house, 44 representatives have organized for higher discharge payments, favoring Rep. William Lemke's bill providing \$100 on release and up to a year's pay.

RUSSIA:

Match Wits

Russian and German generals matched wits along an 800-mile front as winter fighting flared to major proportions in the east.

While the Reds surged into German lines guarding the Baltic region, the Nazis threw strong tank forces against the Russians on a 400-mile stretch further to the south. Thus did one attack act as a lever against the other.

The Russian drive was concentrated on reaching the shores of the Baltic sea: (1) to cut off Nazi armies in the Leningrad region from those to the south, and (2) to cut off shipping at present helping supply them over Baltic lanes.

RAIL STRIKE:

FDR Intervenes

Seeking to avert a strike of 1,450,000 railroad workers which threatened to tie up the nation's whole transportation system, President Roosevelt acted to bring the unions and owners together, while orders were drawn for U. S. operation of the lines in case negotiations failed.

Following a suggestion of FDR, the basis for compromise seemingly lay in payment of overtime to the rail workers after 40 hours, instead of after 48 hours as has been the case.

For the 350,000 operating employees of the roads, the overtime pay coupled with a flat four cents an hour wage increase, would result in an average hourly boost of eight cents.

Besides the eight cents an hour for which they threatened to strike, the 1,100,000 non-operating rail employees also proposed overtime pay over 40 hours. Under their terms, their average hourly increase would exceed eight cents.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC:

Things to Come

A thorn in the Allies' shipping lanes to the Southwest Pacific, Japan's Marshall islands took heavy poundings from U. S. army and navy planes, while off to the New Britain area, Yankee airmen blasted the enemy's supply centers of Wewak and Cape Gloucester.

In both cases the destructive aerial bombardment presaged ground action. As a springboard for future ground operations, U. S. troops stood on the Gilberts, to the south of the Marshalls, and in New Britain, doughboys recently landed at Arawe consolidated their positions and poised to the north, looking toward the Cape Gloucester region from which the enemy has been supplying its embattled troops on New Guinea to the east.

To meet the Allies' challenge to their whole defensive system in the Southwest Pacific, the Japs strengthened their air forces throughout the area, and poured in supplies for their troops.

Stays on Job

"MacArthur for President!"

A rallying cry for some politicians, a popular topic for the man on the street, these three big words have tended to color the 1944 presidential picture.

Recently MacArthur talk received two strong stimulants:

First, there was the war department's ruling that there was no bar to any officer accepting a political nomination.

Second, the rumor gained currency that the cocksure chieftain of the Southwest Pacific was preparing to return to the U. S. for conferences in Washington, D. C.

It was pointed out that MacArthur's reigning goal is to lead Allied armies back into the Philippines.

However, from General MacArthur's advanced headquarters in New Guinea's jungles, a spokesman for the general said: "There is no foundation whatsoever for the statement that General MacArthur expects to go to Washington in the near future for conferences."

LET'S KEEP AMERICA — AMERICAN

America—Your America—has become great and strong because of the indomitable spirit of its people. Through years of sweat and blood, hard working, free Americans have built an invincible nation—a nation which stands as a symbol to all freedom-loving men throughout the world. ★ Our boys are fighting to keep America American. They want to come back to the America they left, their homes, churches, schools, their service clubs, their friends and buddies. They want to come back to their jobs and take up where they left off—they want to be able to carve their own futures in their own way—unmolested. ★ To remind us all of these many things our boys are fighting for, the Kiwanis Club will, from time to time, publish in the interest of a Free America, messages which we hope will inspire men to Keep His America... American!



These Things We Hold:

that it is every free American's right to worship God in the manner he chooses and according to his own conscience and understanding.

that Free Speech and Freedom of the Press are foundation-stones of the democratic way of life, and should be defended against the onslaughts of those who might wish to abridge or destroy them.

that freedom of opportunity must be nurtured and preserved so that America's sons and daughters may continue to enjoy the right to achieve their ambitions, according to their wishes and capacities; that an individual's destiny is his own to shape and establish.

that America's children may continue to enjoy the parental love and wholesome happiness of the family, supplemented by freedom of education which admits the whole and undistorted truth about the world in which they live.

that America shall ever be the land of hope, the model of democracy..."The Land of the Free and the Home of the Brave."

Keep his America - AMERICAN



OCEAN BEACH KIWANIS CLUB

HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

RICE: This year rice production reached the highest level in history at more than 70 million bushels, 43 per cent above the ten-year average, 1932-42.

BOMBER: A new "super" bombing plane that is called better than the B-29, itself a new wonder, is now in production, according to the chairman of the house military affairs committee.

EGGS: So splendidly have American hens responded to the call for more production that eggs are coming into wholesale markets in greater volume than they can be sold or stored, dealers report. They attribute the increased supplies partly to the fact that last spring's pullets are now beginning to lay. Another factor is the lack of a government program for dried eggs.

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Dealing With Swindlers

Boom times, with wages high and money flowing freely, inevitably bring racketeers and grafters following closely the wake of prosperity. It makes no difference to them if the prosperity is a false one created by ghastly, world-wide war, or a healthier upswing in men's fortunes.

Petty swindlers have been abroad in California since war industry payrolls began to climb two years ago, and a new influx of bigger operators is due in rural communities, according to indications.

Eastern racketeers whose records are known and whose tactics are smooth as those of a professional gambler with an extra ace, are here to clip their bit of golden fleece from the too unwary, law officers report.

Probably the least savory type of swindler now operating widely, offers to sell information allegedly heard over the shortwave radio concerning loved ones in enemy prison camps. Bilkings workers out of hard earned pay on war jobs is base enough, but capitalizing on the worry and grief of soldiers' families is contemptible. Such information offered at a price, invariably is not worth the price, for it can be had free through agencies of the Red Cross, organized and financed for that purpose. This is one racket of disruptive and demoralizing effect, playing directly into the enemy's hands.

There is little good in philosophizing over the quirk in some men's nature which permits them to take unfair advantage of their fellows in times of stress and difficulty. Man's inhumanity to man is as irrevocable on the one hand, perhaps, as man's gracious benevolence on the other.

When one comes face to face with a racket these days, there are just two things to be done—both practical and patriotic. One: Report the circumstance immediately to the police. Two: Nullify any temptation to invest in unknown propositions by putting all extra and unneeded cash into government war bonds.

The War Must Still Be Won

During the next hundred days, we face the most desperate and probably the most costly fight in our history as a Nation: a fight to invade the most heavily fortified coast in the world—a fight in which American boys will carry the brunt of the battle and undoubtedly suffer such casualties that a half a million American homes may be in mourning before it is done.

Bataan and Guadalcanal, Attu and Salerno, Tarawa and even that day of infamy and tragedy at Pearl Harbor will rank as only minor engagements, compared to the furious and deadly encounter that confronts us when General Eisenhower gives the signal and the invasion of France begins.

No words can possibly portray what our fighting men will go through during this climactic struggle to conquer Hitler's fortress—and the failure of the invasion attempt, apart from the tragic loss of life which it would entail, might well cost us the war. That our military leaders know, and even though they are confident of victory, they know, too, the risks involved—and the heartbreaking price we must pay. But we wonder, do the American people know?

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Tax Sale No. 2852-1 to 6 Incl.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DEEDED TO THE STATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

WHEREAS, I was on the 25th day of October, 1943, directed by the Board of Supervisors of San Diego County, State of California, and there was received by me and filed in my office an authorization of the State Controller, dated December 3, 1943, to sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States, certain tax delinquent properties, public notice is hereby given that unless the said properties are redeemed, as provided by law, I will on the 2nd day of February, 1944, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock a. m. in the Tax Collector's office in the San Diego City and County Administration Building at 1600 Pacific Boulevard in the City of San Diego, sell as directed the said property for a sum not less than the minimum price set forth in this notice.

The parcel or parcels of property that are the subject of this notice are situated in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and are described as follows:

Sale No. 2852-1 Roseville; Lot 2, Block 11. Assessed to C. E. Dale for the years 1932 to 1933 Incl. Minimum price \$75.00 plus cost of sale.

Sale No. 2852-2 Roseville; Lot 3, Block 12. Assessed to Francis C. McGarry for the year 1931. Assessed to E. J. and Tennyson for the years 1932 to 1937 Incl. Minimum price \$100.00 plus cost of sale.

Sale No. 2852-3 Roseville; Lots 7 and 8, Block 75. Assessed to Corrigan Kean & Co. for the years 1932 to 1937 Incl. Minimum price \$100.00 each lot plus cost of sale.

Sale No. 2852-4 Roseville; Lot 7, Block 89. Assessed to J. B. Simmons for the years 1932 to 1937 Incl. Minimum price \$100.00 plus cost of sale.

If redemption of the property or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption is not made according to law prior to the sale thereof, the right of redemption will cease. For information regarding redemption apply to Robert W. Getty, Auditor-Controller of San Diego County, Civic Center, San Diego, California.

The following parcels contained in the authorization having been deeded to the State in the year 1942, are not subject to redemption or to payment of delinquent taxes in installments.

Sale No. 2852-5 Wildwood Annex; Lots 10 to 12 Incl., Block B. Assessed to Malcolm McMenamy for the years 1936 to 1942 Incl. Minimum price \$300.00 each for lots 10 and 11 and \$400.00 for lot 12, plus cost of sale.

Sale No. 2852-6 Tract 1388, Baney McKie & Rife, Wildwood; Lots 9, 10, Block 11. Assessed to Malcolm McMenamy for the years 1936 to 1942 Incl. Minimum price \$300.00 each for lots 8 and 9 and \$400.00 for lot 10 plus cost of sale.

Sale No. 2852-7 Tax Collector of San Diego County & Ex-Officio Tax Collector San Diego City, State of California.

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Mr. Powley's statement follows: "This Yuletide season brings more than ever to us the full realization of the presence on the war front of the millions of our American youth—boys and girls—who are fighting to save and to keep secure all that makes for life itself."

"To these boys and girls and to our telephone men and women who fight shoulder to shoulder with them, we, the directors, officers and all members of our telephone family on the home front, bow in admiration and assure them not only of our grateful appreciation, but also of our deep sense of obligation to be worthy of the sacrifices they are so courageously and so effectively making to take our great Nation through to the supreme Victory which is so surely to be ours."

"Our Christmas Greetings and Good Wishes for the New Year to our far-flung fighting forces carry with them our reassurance that we will steadfastly so serve on the home front that we will help the more to build a better world—'On Earth Peace, Good Will Toward Men.'"

"The past year, with its many perplexing problems, has been one of the most active and strenuous periods ever experienced by our company. Accustomed as it is to rising to all emergencies, our organization met the challenge creditably and effectively. No task was too difficult. Notwithstanding the fact as the year progressed our men and women had 'more to do with less to do it with,' they, nevertheless, gave full expression to their high resolve to overcome all difficulties by their splendid performance in 'taking the message through. We take justifiable pride in the accomplishments of our personnel who have outstandingly exemplified their devotion to duty and high morale throughout a most trying and critical year."

"With toll and long distance traffic at unprecedented peak volumes, the public, in encountering service difficulties due to wartime restrictions and overcrowded circuits, has been most sympathetic and understanding in its cooperation. Service criticisms were the lowest of record, the company gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the aid and assistance rendered by our customers during the past year which has been an important contribution to the company's all out war effort."

"The preliminary earnings report (Dec. estimated) for the fourth quarter sent to shareholders indicate that earnings per common share will approximate \$1.6 per share, or 12 cents less than the \$1.78 per share earned in the third quarter."

"The indicated net earnings per common share for the year will approximate \$6.70 as compared with \$6.19 per share for last year. Earnings for the fourth quarter and for the year do not, of course, reflect the increased tax expense which the forthcoming increased Federal taxes may impose—it is estimated that the House Bill tax proposals would increase the company's annual Federal taxes by approximately \$1,500,000—not the year's earnings reflect the

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"It is of vital importance to the public, the employees and the investors that the credit position of the company be kept sound and secure. Confronted as it is with its present unprecedented tasks and faced as it is with tremendous postwar expenditures—estimated to aggregate in the neighborhood of \$150,000,000 in addition to the regular construction programs—to restore plant margins, to meet the service requirements and to provide for the unfiled telephone demand, which is now pronouncedly increasing, as well as the demand for new installations, our company must have sufficiently adequate net income for both dividend and surplus requirements if the necessary funds may continue to be reasonably obtained not only to meet present pressing needs, but also to meet our deferred costs due to the war and to finance the now estimated huge postwar construction programs."

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Holy communion at 7:45;
church school at 9:15; and morning prayer and sermon at 11.

In the parish hall at 8 on Monday evenings a group, "The Glanhandlers," meet for the purpose of Christian instruction.

Beginning on Monday, Jan. 10th, at 3:30, there will be a confirmation class for children.

Also in the parish hall, the young people's group meets at 6:30 on Sunday evenings.

Bethany Lutheran

Bethany Lutheran invites you to worship in the Kunz Memorial chapel, Sunset Cliffs blvd., Cape May ave.

The sermon subjects of the Rev. Martin Lankow at 10:45 a.m. will be: "A Faith-Filled Family."

"The Cana Wedding" will be the 9:30 Bible lesson in Sunday school meeting in Bethany school. The Bible class considers the "Old Testament."

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Dean, International Correspondence Schools

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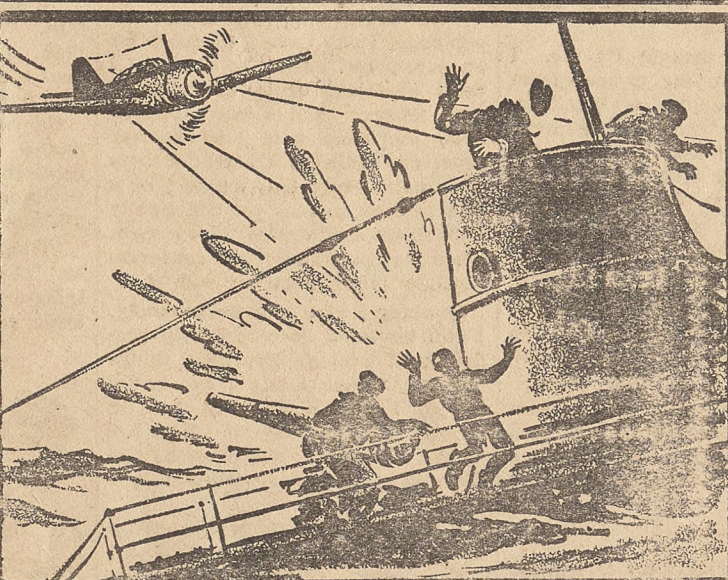
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RESOURCES

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Due from Banks	265,533,557.00
TOTAL CASH	\$ 732,092,644.97
Securities of the United States Government and Federal Agencies	1,844,553,595.77
State, County and Municipal Bonds	187,377,384.12
Other Bonds and Securities	59,181,752.01
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,720,000.00
Loans and Discounts	810,660,642.03
Accrued Interest and Accounts Receivable	10,472,722.41
Bank Premises, Furniture, Fixtures and Safe	25,883,704.60
Deposit Vaults	1,363,620.75
Other Real Estate Owned	20,898,072.78
Customers' Liability on Account of Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Endorsed Bills	1,108,545.34
Other Resources	
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$3,697,912,674.78

LIABILITIES

DEPOSITS:	
Demand	\$2,261,274,250.67
Savings and Time	1,236,878,955.20
Liability for Letters of Credit and as Acceptor, Endorser or Maker on Acceptances and Foreign Bills	21,228,216.77
Reserve for Interest Received in Advance	3,590,750.63
Reserve for Interest, Taxes, etc.	8,549,609.00
Capital:	
Common (4,000,000 Shares)	\$ 50,000,000.00
Preferred (405,148 Shares)*	8,102,920.00
Surplus	75,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	12,051,197.67
Reserve for War Contingencies, etc.	13,919,049.87
Other Reserves	3,203,332.32
Reserve for Increase of Common Capital	3,897,000.00
Preferred Stock Retirement Fund	205,453.65
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDS	166,384,994.51
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$3,697,912,674.78

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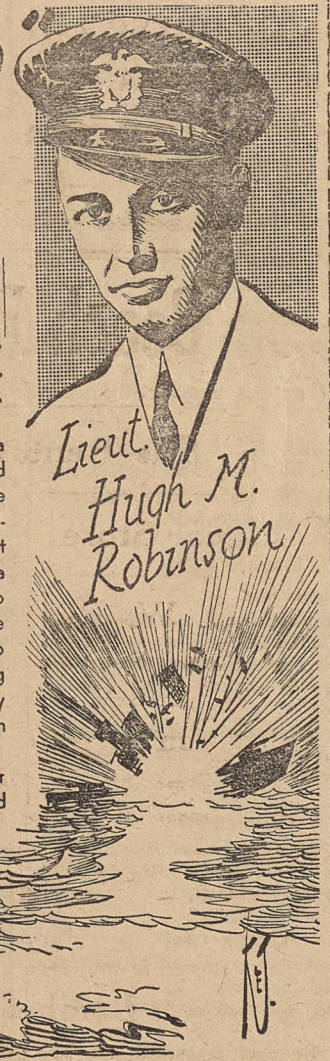
VICTORY'S SONS

"Got One"

It was raining that night when Lt. Hugh M. Robinson led his eight PT boats out into the dangerous waters around Guadalcanal. One patrol boat dimly observed three Jap destroyers headed for the island, probably with supplies. Lt. Robinson, whose squadron has an enemy cruiser and six destroyers to its credit, spread his boats out to attack. In the darkness, however, the Jap warships eluded them.

After hours of hunting, Robinson received a message from a plane that the destroyers had reached port, unloaded, and were returning. He immediately raced his squadron for the Guadalcanal-Savo straits. One PT boat got in close, but was bracketed by Jap shells. It escaped under a smoke screen, while another boat darted in to strike. But the swift destroyers were now in the narrow straits, where they sped at full speed to outrun the PTs. Just as the Japs were emerging from the channel, believing themselves safe, they came upon one more of Robinson's boats, which he had stationed there earlier.

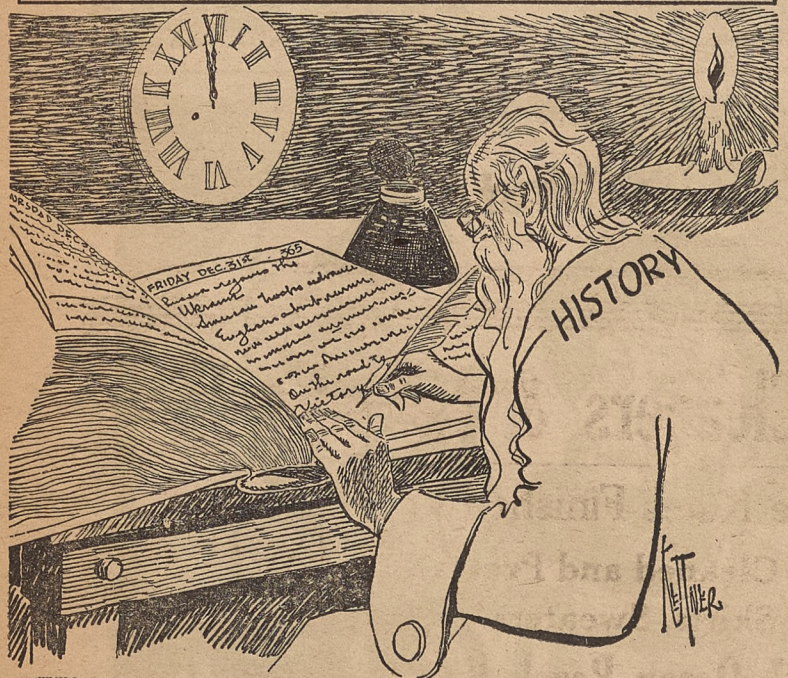
This last PT aimed a torpedo, and a destroyer blew up. Its commander, Lt. Brent Green, radioed Lt. Robinson the terse report, "Got one!"



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See Here, Private Hargrove!

by Marion Hargrove

THE STORY SO FAR: Private Marion Hargrove, former feature editor of a North Carolina newspaper, has been inducted into the army and has completed a good portion of his basic training at Fort Bragg. Classified as a cook and with plenty of extra KP duty because of his failure at times to grasp some of the fundamentals of army life, he has become quite familiar with the Company kitchen. He has learned the finer points of "goldbricking" and has mastered the elements of army slang. As we pick up his story here, Hargrove is listening to a bus driver in a nearby town expand on his former army career. Hargrove suspects (and rightly so) that the truth is being stretched. The bus driver speaks:

CHAPTER XIII

"Well," he said, hemming and hawing a little, "three stripes means he's just a plain buck sergeant. Six stripes is a master sergeant. I'm a supply sergeant. That's two grades above a buck sergeant and one grade below a master sergeant. I'm expecting to be a master sergeant in a month or so. That's as high as you can get."

"I didn't say anything for a while; just sat there looking like I was letting it soak in. Then I asked him, real calm-like and ignorant. 'How many stripes does a private first class have?'"

"So help me, he looked like he was going to choke for a while. Then he came back with a snappy answer in a flash."

"Well," he said, "first-class privates have one stripe, just like us supply sergeants, only their stripe is bottom-upward from ours. Their stripes point down."

"Well, sir, I thought I'd die. I almost popped trying to keep from laughing, but I kept a straight face. Then I said, 'Things sure have changed since I was in the Army. Back then, three or four years ago, supply sergeants were just plain buck sergeants and first-class privates were the only one-stripe men.'"

"Yeah," he said, sort of weak-like, "time changes a lot of things."

"That was all he had to say. He looked sort of foolish and pulled the cord to get off at the next stop."

"So there was another bull session shot to hell. Maybe it was for the best, though. I didn't have a chance against a fellow with that much talent."

I ran out of cigarettes this afternoon near my old cooks' battery, so I thought I'd drop in on First Sergeant Goldsmith, who smokes the same brand that I do. Sergeant Goldsmith is the old type of top sergeant, with a heart of GI shoe leather and a voice that would put the stoutest bugle to shame.

"Great gods and little paychecks," he railed. "Look what's loose again! What's the latest, little man, or aren't reporters supposed to know?"

"The only news I've heard today," I told him, helping myself to a coffin nail from his desk, "is that they're sending all the first sergeants in the Replacement Center to Panama for hard-labor service detachments. Polish your brass and you might make acting corporal before the war's over."

"Oh, it's lovely to run into an old top sergeant who can't put you on kitchen police when you sass back at him."

"You're a sweet little lad, Hargrove," he purred. "We really do



The basket had in it a cheerful little blaze bright enough to take action photographs on a moonless night.

miss you here. When you were here, I never had to worry about where I was going to get another man when there was a stovepipe to be cleaned or a street to be swept. Now I have to go and search around—search, mind you—for someone who's been a bad little boy. Never had that trouble when you were here."

"Sergeant," I told him, propping my feet on his wastebasket, "you never miss the water until it's gone under the bridge. This battery owes a lot to me. Look out there at that grass growing in front of the orderly room. That grass wouldn't be there—much less be that green—if I hadn't spent time and labor sprinkling it with fertilizer. And think how much cleaner the windows were when I was here to wash every one of them every week. I'll bet you haven't had a clean floor in the battery since I laid down my mop."

"How's sergeant Ooton making out with his grocery budget?" I asked. "Trying to feed you on forty-two cents a day? The last time

I saw him, he was working out plans to feed you on Buncombe County turnip greens or pay you to eat at the Service Club."

"Oh, that," he said. "I've saved so much on cigarettes since you left the battery that I could afford to eat uptown now if I wanted to. And let's leave any remarks about Buncombe County out of this. And let's leave your feet out of my wastebasket."

From now on I must deny myself one of the fundamental rights and joys of mankind. I must quit burning matches from those near and dear to me—that is, if I want them to remain near and dear to me. Whenever I ask anyone around Center Headquarters—even Mulvehill or Bishop or Bushemi—for a match, I get one of two answers, both of which are getting very tiresome by now. I hear either "What's the matter? Has your fire gone out?" or "Just light your cigarette on one of our conflagrations; there should be a small arson in yonder corner."

Since I am a patient and long-suffering child, I make no scathing remarks in return for these jaded witticisms. I merely shrug my frail shoulders pathetically and seek greener pastures. It isn't so bad, their refusing the match. The worst part of it is the reminder of an incident which might well be forgotten. The incident is of no consequence, but it might as well come off my chest.

Being a slave to the despoiler of human health and well-being, the cigarette, I still have a fondness for an occasional switch to a pipe. I don't especially enjoy the taste of pipe tobacco, and I don't believe even the most avid pipe smoker especially cares for it. Most of them like me, merely like the feel of a pipe in their mouths and the dignity and solemnity a pipe gives them when they punctuate their conversations by jabbing the air with it.

Smoking a pipe only occasionally, I still have not become overly proficient at keeping the little things burning. When I buy a can of tobacco, I buy a five-cent box of country matches with it. Half my smoke is tobacco; the other half is Georgia pine smoke from the matchsticks.

I was busy today typing out a story, and I had lit my pipe for about the twenty-second time. I threw the match into the wastebasket and forgot all about the whole thing. I was absorbed in my work.

I noticed by degrees that our office was becoming lighter and warmer. I noted the fact with a rich feeling of comfort, but no great interest in finding out the cause. It wasn't until I reached for another match to light that pipe again that I noticed my wastebasket. The thing had in it a cheerful little blaze bright enough to take action photographs on a moonless night.

There was nothing to get excited about, I told the remainder of the public relations staff, the sergeant major's corps of assistants, and the filing department. I nonchalantly put my foot into the basket and started stamping out the fire. The thing would have worked, too, except that the length of my foot was greater than the diameter of the wastebasket. The foot stuck and I could not stamp.

Corporal Sager, of Plans and Training, leaped to the rescue, pried the foot from the basket, grabbed the basket and sped away to the water cooler. I followed him and poured myself a cup of water. I still saw no cause for excitement.

To the bystanders' catcalls, unseemly laughter, and accusations of arson, I turned a fatherly ear and a quieting voice. I explained patiently that setting fire to wastebaskets was an ancient and honored pastime in the newspaper world. I told them that one of the best newspaper men North Carolina has ever seen—"Uncle John" Dickson, former city editor of the News—used to set his wastebasket on fire at least twice a week by tossing cigarettes or burning matches into it. It was a mark of certain industry, a sign that a man was wrapped up in his work.

Maury Sher, my old buddy when we were together in the student cooks' battery, had been on an extended furlough. Before he returned, I had left on a three-day pass for Charlotte. We had not got together for two or three weeks, so I went over to his battery to look him up.

The battery street was almost empty; the mess-hall door was locked. The mess sergeant was nowhere to be seen. Finally I found a soldier who had seen Sergeant Sher in his room, so I looked for him there.

The sergeant lay on his lazy back on a stilted bunk in his cadre room, reading Dorothy Parker. The windows of the room had been equipped with flimsy green curtains, and partially deflated holiday balloons fluttered against them. On the wall above the bed hung a small oil painting of a forest, with an icy white mountain in the background. A writing table had been installed and on a shelf in over his bunk were a reading lamp, a small radio, and a neat array of books.

I stood there surveying the place for a while. "What in the sweet

name of military hardship have you got here?" I asked him. "All this place needs is a couple of Morris chairs and a sign reading, 'What is home without a mother?'"

"Beginning to look nice, ain't it?" he said. "Just a few minor improvements here and there. Know where I can pick up a small upright piano at a good price?"

I looked over the room again and my eye fell on the resplendent forest scene. "Where'd you get this canvas knickknack? It's an original, isn't it?"

"It ain't nothing else but," he said. "Painted by a friend of mine up in Columbus. Guy knocks them off like that in about twenty minutes. How do you like it?"

Aside from the fact that the water-fall is a little frothy and the mountain looks like something from a mentholatum advertisement, it would do credit to any mess sergeant's room in the whole Replacement Center."

"You didn't notice this," he said, lifting himself lazily from the bunk. From the table he took an ordinary-looking beer can with an extra lid on it. "John Bull Beer," he said. "Can't buy it anywhere except in my family's restaurant in Ohio and Pennsylvania."

He lifted the top lid, revealing a businesslike cigarette lighter. I took the can, struck the flint and a roaring blaze leaped at me. It burned merrily away.

"Not bad, huh? Good advertising scheme."

"It should come in handy," I told him, "anytime the furnace goes blah. That little conflagration would heat a whole barracks in three minutes flat."

He twisted the dial of his radio and a high-pitched feminine wail bounced off the far wall. "I've been listening to the opera most of the afternoon—The Magic Flute."

"What happened to the magic skill?" I asked. "How come you're lying around here instead of bustling about your kitchen—licking the pal-



"Have you any last words before I pass KP on you?" the sergeant asked.

ates of the men with your culinary delights, as they say in the Army cooks' manual?"

"No supper tonight," he explained airily. "We're just changing cycles and there ain't nobody here but the noncommissioned officers, like myself. I told them to go and eat next door."

"This is the life, little man," he yawned. "Nothing to do, nothing to worry about. Just lie around, read and listen to the opera. Sans souci, as we French say—without care."

The first sergeant looked over his glasses with a rather unpleasant gleam in his eyes. He glanced significantly at the top of my head, so I removed my cap. The first sergeant adjusted himself in his chair and cleared his throat.

"Private Hargrove," he began slowly and deliberately, "the government of the United States, to whom no task seems impossible, has tackled the job of pulling you a little of the way out of your abysmal ignorance. With complete faith that heaven will help them in this job, they have begun a series of lectures about why you are being trained to fight, whom you are being trained to fight, and all the other little things you should know."

"Yes, sir," I said hesitantly, running my finger around the inside of my collar. "You mean the radio lectures on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons."

"From four until four-thirty," the first sergeant said. "The entire population has been invited by Upstairs to gather in the mess halls to hear and discuss these lectures. Yesterday afternoon you weren't on hand. Have you any last words before I pass KP on to you?"

"It's a rather long story, sergeant," I began.

"Here we go again," sighed the sergeant. "Have a chair and begin breaking my heart. It will make you feel better to have that off your chest before you go to the kitchen."

"Sergeant," I asked him, "were you ever editor of a high-school newspaper?"

"Is this long story about me or you?" the sergeant asked. "Please continue with your story."

"Well, sir," I continued, "only a high-school editor could know the pain that is in my heart. Only he could sympathize with me. I have gone back to my old job I had years ago. I am again a true high-school editor. I am editor of the Replacement Center section of the Fort Bragg Post."

"Meeting such a dignitary is one of the greatest occasions of my life," the first sergeant said dryly.

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Lace in Its Every Lovely Mood Plays a Most Versatile Role

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

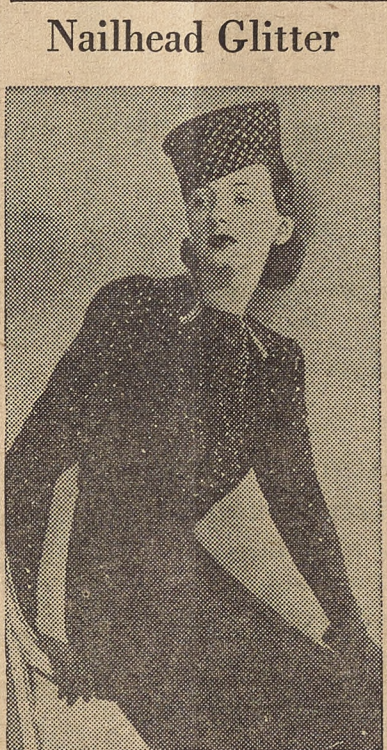


THE man in uniform loves to see you dressed up for the evening in flattering pretty-pretty gowns. It is a compliment to him as well as to you. To know you think he is worth it, helps a lot in inspiring high purpose and new courage in him to go forth to do and to dare where duty calls. What's more, statistics show he likes best the charms and the graces of the utterly feminine in dress.

Fashions for important gala nights are just like that this winter—as beguiling and appealingly lovely as designers can create. Much of the enchantment of the current evening mode centers about the widespread and often unique use of lace, ranging from crisp starched types to the most fragile cobweb filmy meshes.

This season lace drama especially thrills, as it enters into the make-up of the new street-length gowns that have gone definitely formal. These charming flatterers are prettified with devastating necklines and cunning brief sleeves. The smartest of the smartest of these lacy street-length black frocks are in all black, either made entirely of exquisitely sheer lace or of fabric trimmed with lace ruffings and yokes, or they are apt to do 50-50 teamwork, lace with marquisette, net or some other sheer. Convincingly style-correct in its every detail is Mainbocher's slim black dinner dress of print d'esprit, with bodice and ruffled peplum of black lace, as shown in the inset panel to the left. It sponsors the traditional floor length, which, by the way, loses none of its style prestige as it competes with the new shorter length versions. The pencil-slim sheath-like skirt contrasted with a peplum flare, is a silhouette regarded as strictly ultra in current costume design. The only color accent to this regal lace and net gown is its rose-and-lilac corsage.

Speaking of the lace peplum,



This slim-lined frock for smart dress-up wear is made of sooty black rayon crepe thus offering a perfect background for gilt nailheads scattered in an intriguing allover pattern. Interesting shoulder-yoke treatment outlined by nailheads and metallic beading adds flattery at the high square neck. Dull-finish rayon crepe has been declared the fabric ideal when it comes to the perfect background for the now-so-fashionable glitter decor.

here's a clever idea when you have a dress that needs must do double duty. A bride with vision for the future in way of a wedding gown that she could wear later for various occasions chose a winsome pastel wool frock (for an afternoon ceremony) that was styled with utmost simplicity. Which tells but half the story. The other half has to do with a detachable peplum made of handsome crisp white starched lace. This fastened about the waist under the pastel wool belt. A bit of the lace was repeated in connection with the dress collar. The same starched lace was used for a youthful high-crown mushroom hat. After the wedding, with lace removed, she was the happy possessor of a plain wool for all-occasion wear.

For the woman of affairs who goes places, a lace dress is indispensable. Mocha lace for dinner at eight, as illustrated to the right, has intrigue plus. The effectiveness of brown-toned lace for evening wear is being played up for all it is worth this season. Here the diagonal patterned lace is designfully arranged V-shape down the front. Flamingo red flowers add a glowing flash of color to the low-plunge V-neckline.

Dress up for him in a lace (for the bodice) and taffeta (for the skirt) portrait gown as pictured to the left, and you will make an unforgettable picture. The prettiest color you could choose for this gown would be sparkling-as-champagne char-treuse. Heart-shaped neckline, with fitted bodice of char-treuse lace and a dirndl skirt of taffeta, a gorgeous rose poised at the neckline, bespeaks transcendent loveliness.

As to the gown centered in the group, it has an interesting story to tell in that you can change it in the twinkling of an eye so it will dress up or dress down to any dinner occasion. The change is effected via a lacy black net skirt that ties about the waist, worn over a simply styled basic black crepe frock. The net is embroidered in a stunning peplum effect with gold paillettes and metal threadwork.

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Nailhead Glitter

Hairdo Trend Is to Low-Front Coiffure

Important changes in hairdos are under way. The low-front coiffure is being adopted by many who foresee the gradual exit of the high and formal looking pompadour, in favor of a neat and simple arrangement. The new hair dress does not exact a center part, though many women will welcome the youthful aspect of parted-in-front hair. However, it does call for a new and attractive soft arrangement that is not too high over the forehead. Interest is divided between the new short hair, cut at the back, and the longer bob brought into a graceful chignon at the back. Milliners are reacting to the new hairdo movement with utmost enthusiasm and are showing a co-operative spirit by turning out charming little caps, berets that are worn set far back and snuggling into the sleek new hairdress with flattering grace. The little bonnet effects seen in advance display promise to be the successful hat fashions of the new season.

Pleated Skirts Permitted

It was to be expected that the fabric conserving rules would banish pleated skirts from the current fashion picture. However, the good news is that style creators are demonstrating in new types that a skirt can be pleated and yet not exceed government requirements. Which means that pleated skirts are included in the new dress program that are properly fabric-conserving.

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"Your honor," replied the witness, "she has to get someone else to call her poultry at feeding time. They won't believe her."

Double Cure

Two women met.

"Oh, I meant to ask you, dear," said the first, "did you adopt my suggestion about curing your husband of walking in his sleep by putting a tub of water by his bed?"

"Yes," replied the second, somewhat grimly, "and it also cured me of putting a tub of water by his bed."

Strenuous

"What do you do for exercise?" "Oh, I read ghost stories and make my flesh creep."

Willing Girl

"You look sweet enough to eat," the soldier told his girl. "I do eat," she replied. "Let's go."

Second Lesson

"And has the baby learned to talk yet?"

"Oh, yes! We're teaching him to keep quiet now."

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Mythical George Spelvin Has Played 1500 Parts

No American actor has appeared in as many stage parts as the mythical George Spelvin, a name first used in 1907 on the program of "Brewster's Millions" as a pseudonym for an actor who played two roles, says Collier's. Both play and player were so successful that producers have employed the name ever since in their playbills for men portraying two or more characters.

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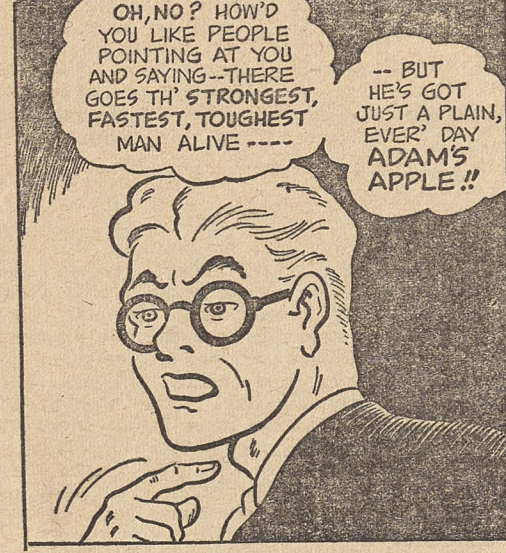
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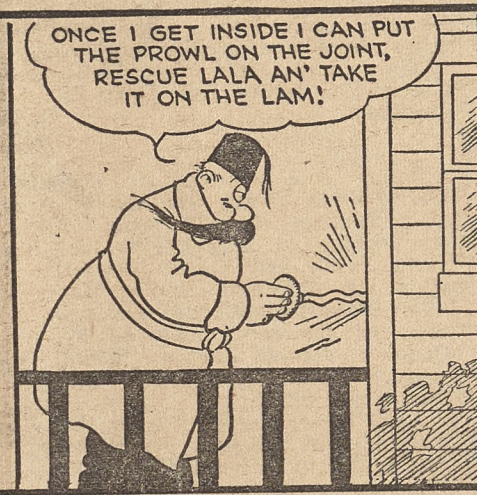
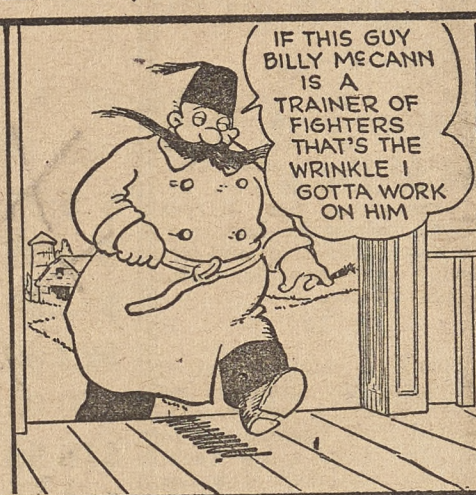
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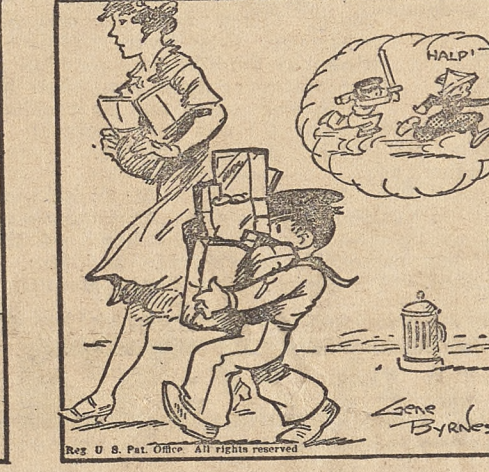
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LALA PALOOZA —Vincent's an Actor, Too



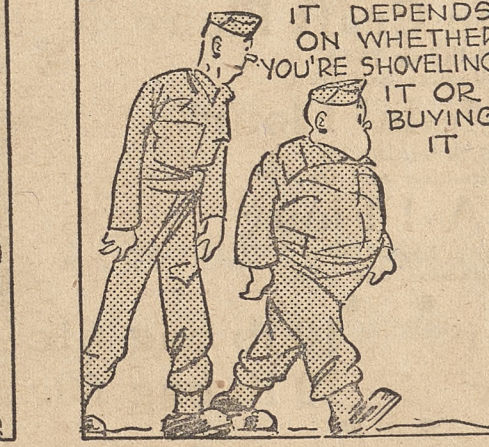
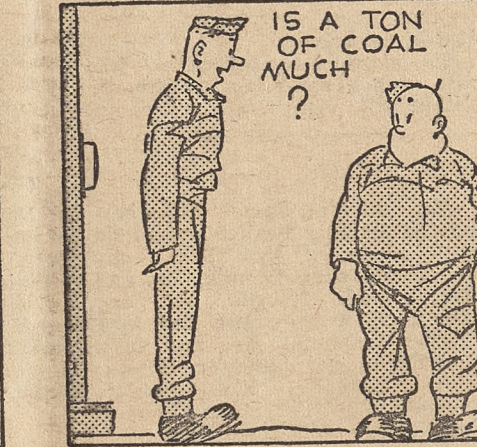
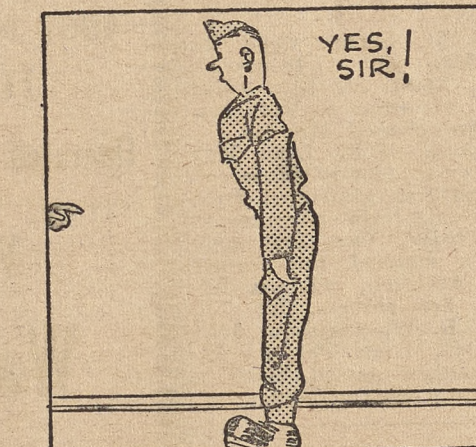
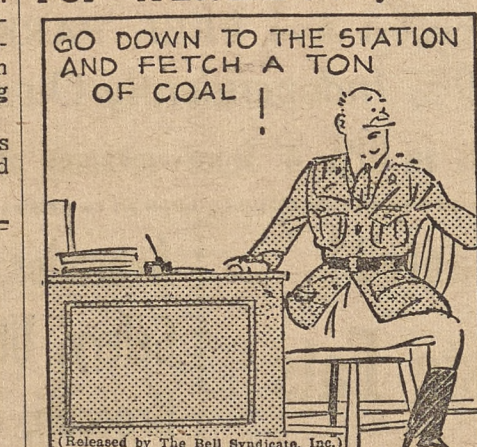
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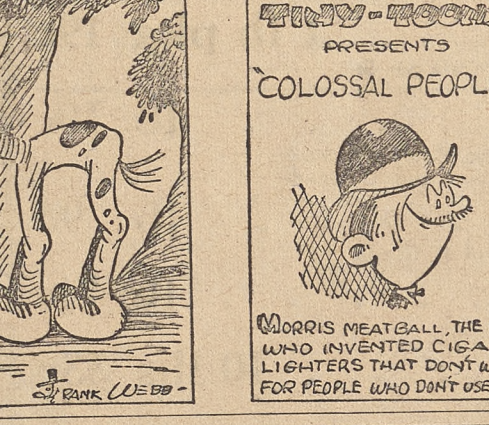
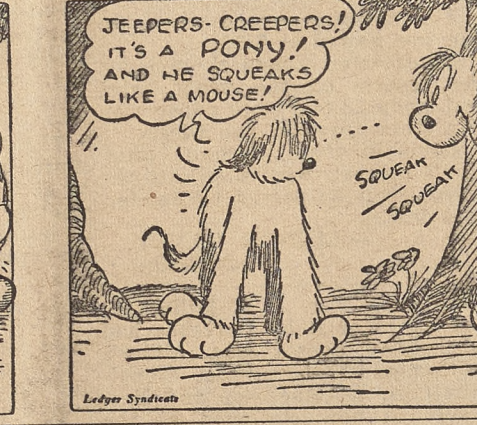
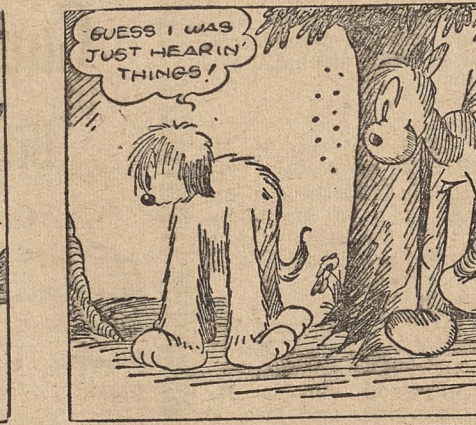
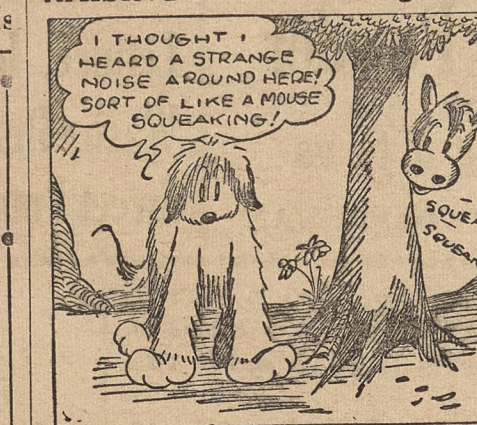
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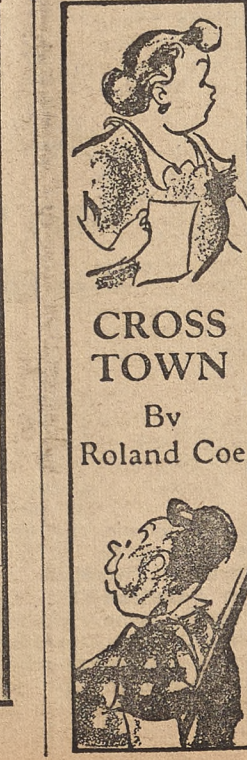
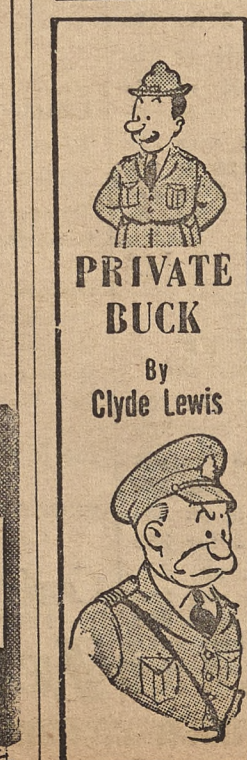


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RAISING KANE—Strange Adventure



By FRANK WEBB



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ASK ME ANOTHER?

A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What is the name of the fabulous animal with one horn in the center of its forehead?
2. Was Sitting Bull a war chief?
3. What President of the United States served the briefest term of office?
4. What dogs are allowed meat rations?
5. A proposition to which people in general agree is called what?
6. According to the Bible by what method did Gideon choose his warriors?

The Answers

1. Unicorn.
2. Sitting Bull in reality was a medicine man and never a war chief.
3. William Henry Harrison, who died after serving one month.
4. "Seeing eye" dogs. Blind persons using such dogs may obtain up to 12 extra points weekly.
5. An axiom.
6. By their method of drinking water (Judges 7:5, 6).

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BIRTHS

New Year Baby
Receives War Bond

Kay Marie Provost, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Provost, 4677 Saratoga, received a \$25 war bond offered by the Ocean Beach Chamber of Commerce to the first baby born in 1944. The baby arrived at 6:24 a.m., Jan. 4 at Paradise Valley hospital.

Also on New Year's day at Paradise Valley sanitarium, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Kenline of 3491 Cooper st., she has been named Flora Louise. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Kenline, 4931 Santa Monica and Mrs. Nina Pimbley of San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Car Lay, 4375 Thirty-seventh st., announce the birth of a nine pound son, Jackson Jr., Sunday, Jan. 2 at Quintard hospital. Grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Walsh, 4771 Voltaire and Mrs. Stella Carr Lay, 4102 Monroe. Mrs. Lay was Miss Patricia Walsh before her marriage.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Phillips, 2247 Bolinas st., a son, Dec. 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. James E. Green, 5015 Narragansett, a son, Dec. 16.

To Mr. and Mrs. James R. Keck, 4824 Saratoga, a son, Dec. 12.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Burbank, 4775 Pescadero st., a daughter Dec. 15.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Mayer, 3245 Lowell st., a daughter Dec. 15.

FRIDAY CARD PARTY

Trinity Episcopal church guild are continuing their regular Friday afternoon card parties at Wallace hall, 2083 Sunset Cliffs blvd., at 1 o'clock. They do not serve refreshments but do present a gift for high honors. Everyone is cordially invited.

Civilian Defense--

ONA E. PITCOCK
B-5639

On Monday, Jan. 10th, at 1 p.m. the monthly meeting of district No. 7 will be held at the Church of God, corner Ebers and Cape May ave. Mrs. David A. Fraser, chairman of Women's division will be guest speaker. All attend and bring your neighbors.

This year will probably be the most momentous year in our history. There will be so much we women can do to help win this war. Save paper, grease, and metals. Make wash cloths from your used bath towels, give phonograph records, old or new, 25 cent or pocket editions of books and make slippers and more slippers. The women of this district have fallen short on their slipper quota. Perhaps it is because the Red Cross only gives two hours on each pair, always remember our boys do not fight for medals.

Slippers and surgical dressings are so badly needed. Please plan your days so you can give one day to surgical dressings. Go to the Marine base or Loma Portal and make dressings.

Our boys are coming back home sick and wounded. They have done their job well and kept the horrors of war from our home shores. Don't we owe them a few hours of our time. Can't we women help to make them a little more comfortable in their sick beds? There are many, many of them in our Navy hospital and Balboa park.

If you are willing to knit or sew or make a batch of cookies, please call your Ocean Beach Red Cross unit for particulars, B-5639.

Letters and cards are coming in to the women of Ocean Beach thanking them for the Christmas boxes that were packed for Christmas. Some letters are from the hospitals and some from ships. They were so welcome wherever they were received. One boy said he was as blue as the water beneath him when his name was called and he received a box. He was very grateful. Let's do more in '44.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Smith were dinner guests on Christmas and New Years, at the home of Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, 4869 Santa Monica.

Loma Portal

Weddings

Point Loma Community church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Charmian Karlene Ehmecke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Ehmecke, 3620 Curtis, to Ens. Richard Ramey Davis, U. S. N. R., which took place Dec. 30, the Rev. S. Dean McBride officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore ivory slipper satin, with train, hand-applied satin bows bordering the deep marquisette yoke. A white orchid adorned her prayer book, and she wore a lace bordered net veil.

The bride's cousin, Miss Donna Knox, was maid of honor wearing blue marquisette and Mrs. Viola Tolbert and Miss Evelyn Hache were bridesmaids. Their matching dresses were pink and yellow, lace and net combined.

William Ehmecke and Robert Hewes ushered.

A reception in the Ehmecke home followed the service. Mrs. Ehmecke received in a slate blue crepe dress and orchid corsage.

The couple left for Little Creek, Va., where Ens. Davis is stationed.

Point Loma home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil D. Swing was the setting Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. for the wedding of Miss Phyllis Virginia Swing and Robert Renton Hind, son of Robert Hind of Marina. Close friends and relatives attended the ceremony read by Canon C. Rankin Barnes. White seasonal flowers decorated the improvised altar.

Lt. Charles Forward gave the bride in marriage since her father was unable to arrive in time from Washington, D. C.

A white organdie wedding gown of basque fashion was worn by the bride and her fingertip veil fell from a halo head dress. She carried a prayer book topped with an orchid.

A wedding reception followed the rites. Mrs. Swing received in a white crepe gown belted in gold and orchid corsage.

The newlyweds will make their home in Palo Alto following a Palm Springs honeymoon.

RETURNS HOME

Comdr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelace returned recently to Point Loma Heights and are occupying their home again at 4306 Newport. Mrs. Lovelace went to Columbus, Ohio, to visit her son, Donald, who is taking advanced engineering at the university there and was joined by Comdr. Lovelace, U.S.N., who was returning from eight months duty at Newfoundland.

He expects to return to the east coast for further assignment within the month.

OPEN HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. James Miltenberger, 5139 Long Branch ave., held open house on New Year's day to the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Noorda, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Huston, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton LeJeune, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Edson and daughter, Bonita; Willis LeJeune, Mrs. Johnnie Johnson, Al Hunt, Chas. Thomas and George Williams.

TROOP 28 BOY SCOUTS

The meeting opened when the flag was posted at 7:15. Scoutmaster Chadwick received the reports on the paper drive and troop 28 had more paper than any other troop in San Diego.

Louis Bingham, Carleton Bingham's brother, was voted into the troop when he passed his tenderfoot test.

—LINDEN RANEY, Troop Scribe

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller jr., and daughter Ruby Dorothea had as holiday guests Mrs. Miller's mother and father, Chief Signalman Geo. W. MacBride and Mrs. MacBride now stationed at the Navy Pre-flight school, Del Monte, Calif., and Mrs. Miller's grandmother, Mrs. Olive Hawkins. They spent eight happy days visiting and being entertained by their grand-daughter.

Roy Brazell, 1054 Debonshire dr., has been a-bed with a severe attack of the flu since Saturday. Mrs. Brazell reports Mr. Brazell's temperature well above 100 for several days but now lessening under the care of a physician and nurse. Roy is one of those ambitious individuals who never says quit and will not give up until forced to.

J. R. Morris jr., first assistant to Rollin Reed, manager Bank of America, has been off duty this week on account of illness.

Miss Minna Brems of Detroit, Mich., is spending a few weeks with friends in California. Two weeks ago she was in Pasadena and this week visited at the home of her long time friend, Mrs. Edith Reich. The two ladies were school teachers in New Mexico in the year 1913 and this is their first visit in 20 years.

IN THE SERVICE--

News from our local boys in service as well as letters or excerpts of letters will be gladly published in this newspaper. Please bring them in for many service men receive the Ocean Beach News by mail weekly and are glad to hear of former friends.

LT. COMDR. SELLERS
GETS SILVER STAR

For conspicuous gallantry in action against Japanese forces of the Santa Cruz islands in July, when his ship saved a burning U. S. vessel from destruction, Lt. Comdr. Frank E. Sellers jr., 29, has been awarded the Silver Star medal, naval headquarters reported.

Sellers is the son of Capt. Sellers (MC), U.S.N., ret., and Mrs. Sellers, of 2669 Narcissus dr.

Second Lt. Frank Heryet, U. S. A. air force, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Heryet, 4804 Del Mar ave., for a week, arriving Dec. 28. Frank came from San Marcos field, Texas, where he had completed advanced training, and left on Tuesday for bombardier training in New Mexico.

Dan Hawkins, youngest son of Roy Hawkins, and grandson of Mrs. Olive Hawkins, was recently promoted from Yeoman 3/c to Yeoman 2/c. Until a few weeks ago Dan was stationed at a Los Angeles university. Now he is at the section base at Fort Rosecrans. His brother, Rex Hawkins Flc is stationed at Miami, Florida.

In action with the marines when they hit Tarawa beach last month, Lt. Joseph W. Utz, of 4616 Muir ave., came through the battle unhurt, he has informed his parents.

Ernest Woodhead, fireman 1c, U.S.N., is home on a 30-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Woodhead, 4812 Cape May ave. Ernest has been in active duty in the south Pacific and was on the U.S.S. Perkins when it went under in Nov. He joined the Navy in Dec., 1941, leaving Pt. Loma high school before graduating. This visit marks the first in two years.

Second Lt. Lyman Gage jr., Marine flier, son of Lyman J. Gage, Pt. Loma, has been killed in action, according to Navy casualty lists released Monday.

A graduate of Pt. Loma high and former student of State college, Gage was graduated from the Naval air training center at Corpus Christi, Tex., last summer. He married the former Virginia Atkinson, who is living with her parents, Lt. Col. and Mrs. B. W. Atkinson, 3245 Santa Monica st., Loma Portal. Lt. Gage's mother passed away a month after his marriage.

Mrs. Bessie M. Clarke, who entered the hospital five weeks ago and underwent an operation, has returned to her home at 4367 Mentone st. She is convalescing nicely and gaining strength each day.

The C. M. B. of the Baptist church will meet on Friday, Jan. 14 at 7:30 p.m. This is a special meeting and a good attendance is desired. All Christian men of the community are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sugg and Virginia Green, 4869 Santa Monica ave., spent Friday through Sunday in Hollywood visiting Mr. Sugg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Sugg.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fried spent the New Year holidays in Los Angeles with friends. They returned to store duties here on Tuesday.

Boy Scout Paper Drive
In Effect to January 15

Boy Scout Troop 28 is still gathering and collecting waste paper until Jan. 15th. If you have or know who has any of this precious material please phone Bayview 6961 and it will be picked up Sunday, Jan. 9th, and any day up to the 15th. After our deadline call Danny Moss, commander of Legion Post 433, for they are cooperating with the scouts now and after the 15th the scouts will cooperate with them until the need for paper is over. Troop 28 is sponsored by the Ocean Beach Kiwanis club.

Ocean Beach P.T.A.

The Ocean Beach P.T.A. will hold its meeting Tuesday, Jan. 11 in the school auditorium. "Winning the War Through Better Health," will be the theme. There will be a panel discussion. Bring along your questions.

There will be entertainment by the second grade students, regarding the health program. Tea will be served by the second grade mothers.

Everyone come whether you are a parent or not. —P.C.

Cy Hebert, chief assistant to Chester D. Gunn, public administrator and county coroner, has been home (4424 Bermuda ave.) most of the week looking after his family who are on the sickle after a buying trip.

SACRED HEART SOCIETY

The regular meeting of Sacred Heart Altar society was held in the parish hall, Monday. The following ladies were present: Mmes. G. Gordon, Elizabeth Johnson, R. G. Kregoski, Grace Spencer, James O'Connor, R. J. Long, Leo Dolan, M. Whaling, Katherine Turskey, Sophie Maben, Virginia Elsey. Paul Daley, Helen Palmateer and Mrs. Lyle Risk, new member of Mission Beach.

Officers elected for the new year are: Mrs. Kregoski, president; Mrs. Maben, vice president; Mrs. Johnson, secretary; and Mrs. Turskey, treasurer.

Plans were made for a bingo party to be given in the parish hall on Tuesday, Jan. 25. Everyone is invited to attend this popular card party.

Mrs. Veda Moss spent the sickle part of the week in Los Angeles on a buying trip.

Ocean Beach

Woman's Club

California has many laws favorable to the rights for men, and has had since the early history of the state. Mrs. Edwin C. Fremo, county speaker will talk on "This Bill of Equal Rights for Women" at the Ocean Beach Women's club meeting, Thursday, Jan. 13, at the club rooms. Mrs. C. W. Varney will be chairman of the social hour.

Gordon Schneider is back on duty part time at his drug store, 4935 Newport ave., and looks very much improved in health since taking an enforced vacation from long strenuous hours of the summer season.

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Cabbage -white and red- 1 lb 4½c

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Wash. Delicious Apples, 2 lb 21c

Sweet Potatoes, Sm Jersey, 4 lb 19c

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Woodbury's Facial Soap	3 bars 24c
Woodbury's Lotion	4 oz bottle 25c
Figo	1 lb 25c
Clapps Strained Baby Food 4½ oz 2 for 15c	
Clapps Junior Foods	6½ oz 2 for 17c
Clapps Cereal Food	8½ oz 12c
Clapps Oatmeal	8½ oz 12c
Kingsford Corn Starch	1 lb 8c
Old Dutch Cleanser	3 cans 21c
Cutrite Wax Paper	125 ft 15c
Gebhardt's Chili Powder 1 oz 11c—3 oz 27c	
Gebhardt's Chili Quik	1 oz 5c
Globe A-1 Flour	5 lb 33c—10 lb 59c—25 lb 1.38

Oxydol	1 lb pkg 23c
Camay	3 bars 20c
P & G	1 lb bars 3 for 14c
Ivory Snow	1 lb pkg 23c
Ivory Flakes sm pk 9c—1 lb pk 23c	
Lava	1 lb bars 3 for 29c
Duz	1 lb pkg 23c
Dash	1 lb pkg 26c
Crisco	3 lb 68c
Guest Ivory	3 bars 14c
Ivory Bar Soap med 6c—1 lb 10c	
Crisco	3 lb 68c

Elastic Starch	12 oz 7c
Kotex	12's 22c
Nibleta	12 oz 13c
Mexicorn	12 oz 15c
Gold Medal Flour	5 lb 33c—10 lb 60c—25 lb 1.38
Drifted Snow Flour	5 lb 32c—10 lb 59c
Standard Fly Spray	pt 20c
Quaker Oats	sm 12c—1 lb 24c
Quaker Sparkies	Rice 11c—Wheat 9c
Del Monte Peas New	
Low Points 15	No. 2 can 14c
Big R String Beans (Point Free)	
	No. 2 can 15c
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Comfort Tissue	4 ROLLS 27c
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